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## SURVEY OF VIKING ATHABASCA GAS

In the Summary Report of surveys made during 1917, published by the Dominion Geological Survey is found the following on the subject of the Viking-Athabaska gas field, in the Province of Alberta, which serves as introduction to an account of the work on the delineation of the possible oil-field, which was begun at that time by a party under the direction of Mr. D. B. Dowling:

The introduction of oil-burning tractors in farming operations has caused a great increase in importation of the light oils. As these imports are mostly from Wyoming, the fear of a possible embargo owing to home needs has made the subject of a home supply of oil one of national interest. The possibilities of the great plains as an oil-field has induced a renewal in prospecting, but most of this has been very conservative. The testing this year has been largely confined to the area near the Battle river and northwestward toward the Athabaska and Peace Rivers. The delineation of the possible field, which depends on the underground structure, was begun this season with S. E. Slipper and Professor J. A. Allan as assistants. The area within which a possible oil-field and a probable gas field may be found can be outlined as a belt extending from Saskatchewan by way of the Viking field, northwest to the Athabaska river near Athabaska, and thence in a broad curve to the Peace river below Peace River Landing. A broadening of the belt northward from this line is evident in the Athabaska valley as the oil in the McMurray sands seems to be genetically connected with the possibilities of the whole area.

The beds underlying this triangular area slope to the southwest at a very low angle with probably many small local inflexions, and they are considerably flattened near their southwestern edge to form a terrace or level zone which in places may be considered anti-clinical in structure. The beds south of this flattened area dip at higher angles into the great Alberta syncline.

Along this terrace, which rises to the northwest, the sandy beds at the base of the Colorado shales have been found to contain considerable gas where they are elevated above the level of the line of salt water saturation, which is here slightly above sea-level. Heavy oil in varying amounts in two of the Viking wells and in two wells at Peace River Landing. In the Athabaska valley on the northeastward extension of the structure plane the lower sands have also appreciable amounts of heavy oil and gas. At the outcrop these sands are represented by the McMurray tar sands. The prospecting so far done has shown the presence of natural gas in fair amount, but the production of oil is not yet well assured. Tests of the gas show the inclusion in it of gasoline vapour, and it is expected that the extraction of this vapour and the discovery of many uses for the methane gas, besides its use as fuel, will some day make this immense field a great manufacturing area.

### Thanksgiving Day Set Monday, October 13

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—Monday, October 13, has been fixed by the government as Thanksgiving Day for the Dominion.

## G.W.V.A. REACH THEIR OBJECTIVE

The G.W.V.A. won their point with the Dominion government who have acquiesced in the demands of the veterans and have appointed a commission to look into the needs of re-establishment and the proposed bonus. This came as a result of united effort on the part of the different branches of the G. W. V. A. co-operating in a common cause. The demand for a commission was never questioned as unreasonable and why pressure had to be brought on the government to appoint a commission to investigate the needs of re-establishing the soldiers who went to defend the country, is something that the average man can't understand.

## G. W. V. A.

All returned men of the Irma district who are desirous of starting a branch of the G.W.V.A. in Irma will please hand in their names to Lou Mildon at the Chevrolet Garage within the next two weeks.

W. L. Mildon, Jr.

## LOCAL NEWS

H. Long has been spending a few days in Edmonton.

Mr. Willard Edwards has been spending a weeks vacation at Irma.

See the Co-op for your supaly of Black Diamond Coal.

The counicillors of the Municipality of Battle River met Sept. 10. Minutes to be published next week.

There will be a dance at Strawberry Plains school next Friday, Sept. 26.

Mrs. M. A. Flewelling is visiting her daughter Mrs. MacMillan of Smiley, Sask.

Fred Riley of Edmonton Is visiting Russell Love. Fred was overseas with a university battalion and was wounded twice.

Misses Bessie and Victoria Vickers of Edmonton spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King.

Mrs. J. H. S. Armstrong and her daughter Mrs. Curtis returned to Irma on Thursday of last week after spending several weeks in Ontario and the east.

Father Steinmetz will hold Mass at the home of Mr. Jas. Kennedy, five miles northwest of Irma, on Sunday, Sept. 21st at 10.30. After mass the children will have catechism.

**Roman Catholic Church.**

Rev. Father E. Steinmetz of Viking will hold Sunday service at Irma on Sunday, Sept. 21st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

## LUTHERAN COLLEGE OPENS SEPT. 30

On Sept. 30th the Camrose Lutheran College will commence its ninth school year. The management looks forward to a greatly increased attendance, and, in all probability, all dormitory space will be use from the very start. Inquiries and applications for admission have been received from as far off districts as the Peace River country and Vancouver, B.C.

Several improvements, both in the school plant and the course of study, will be enacted for next year. Money has been apportioned for the enlargment and improvement of the skating rink and two new tennis courts will be established. The science room has been remodelled somewhat, making room for more apparatus.

As announced previously, Grade XII will be given this year. Indications are that there will be a considerable number of grade 12 students. Last years senior XI students all passed the provincial examinations without a condition and have decided to return in the fall to take up grade XII. There are several teachers with 2nd class certificates who have signified their intention of taking grade XII also.

As practically all the XII graders are public school teachers, opportunity will be given them to improve their professional standing by attending lectures on educational top and round table discussions.

Since most of the soldiers have now returned it is expected to have enough young men in attendance to re-organize the college band. The chorus will also be organized at the beginning of the year. Mr. Palmer Anderson, B. A., will be music director.

More intensive work will be done along debating and forensic lines. The plan is to arrange for intercollegiate debates with Outlook College sister school in Saskatchewan.

The commercial department will be considerably enlarged. Miss Thelma Solverson, who is in charge of this department, will return from her home in Wisconsin the last week in September.

Prof. Solheim will return from a trip abroad in a week or two and in the meantime all inquiries concerning board, room, tuiton, etc., should be sent to K. Cergsagel, and prospective students should write for reservation of rooms at the earliest possible date.

### Alberta and the Prince.

"He came, he was seen, he conquered." This adaptation of the well-known phrase is illustrative of the Prince's tour thru Canada, and nowhere does it fit the case more aptly than in connection with the stay at Edmonton. Never before among the older people has so much enthusiasm been roused over one individual, as has gone out to this royal lad, while the younger people are absolutely devoted to him. The visit just concluded will be talked of for generations to come, for the prince has won a place in the affections of the people from which he will never be ousted.—Bulletin.

### Sunday Services.

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| Orbindale | 11 am. |
| Roseberry | 3 pm. |
| Irma | 7.30 pm. |

SUNDAY SCHOOL

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| Irma | 11 am. |
| Roseberry | 2 pm. |
| Alma Mater | 2.30 pm. |

All are welcome.

C. G. Hockin, Pastor

## IRMA TO HAVE ITS OWN CHAUTAUQUA

Miss P. M. Fisback, representative of the Ellison-White Dominion Chautauqua Company, was in Irma last Monday and Tuesday when arrangements were completed for the appearance of the chautauqua entertainments at Irma during the season of 1920. Those who have been fortunate enough to hear the entertainments put on by this company the last few seasons will be pleased to hear that they will be able to attend the same high class of lectures and entertainments at their home town and we believe chautauqua week will be a big week for everybody next summer.

## G.W.V.A. Will Organize Sunday

Mr. Hume, organizer for the G.W.V.A., will be in Irma on Sunday evening and will hold a meeting for the purpose of forming a branch of the Great War Veterans Association. All returned men are asked to be at the Co-op Hall where the meeting will be held.

### Farmers on Rural Lines

To Whom It May Concern:

Please do not complain to Central telephone operator when your lines are out of order, as you yourselves are responsible for the good or bad order of lines as the case may be. The telephone central do all in their power to give good service. If your lines are out of order it is up to you, not them.

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# Undue Profits Will Spell Ruin

Toronto.—Speaking at the price enquiry, Mr. O'Connor stated that the object of his visit was to ascertain if a fair profit could be set for other commodities in addition to sugar, the exceeding of which would mean "criminality or jail."

They wanted to bring down the prices in such cases and then drive in rivets to keep them at that place. He prophesied that if this was not done, disaster would result, as there was a break of prices in sight, which would mean ruin to the country. The object of the board was not only to bring down prices, but to hold them down.

A. C. Pyke, speaking for the wholesale grocers, said that his guild was quite willing to have inspection of its business. The members would co-operate with the board, he said. The same was said by Robert Dowson, the grocers' section of the Retail Merchants' Association.

"We are going to put the rivets in and say the prices cannot go any higher, but we may have to maintain the prices of some goods," said Mr. O'Connor. "There is going to be a hard time coming soon when something is going to break. It is no good a woman paying 25 cents a dozen for eggs if her husband is going to be put out of business as the result. But unless prices are brought down quickly there will be a big break."

## Against Leaving Russia To Fate

**Col. John Ward Warns Britain of Real Meaning of Evacuation of Territory**

London.—Col. John Ward, Labor member of the House of Commons, who has just returned from Russia, in an interview said that to desert the Russians who had rallied to our standard will make our name stink in the nostrils of every non-Bolshevik in Russia. "We went to Russia to prevent the Germans from transferring men to the western front," he declared. "Are we now to say to those who rallied round us, 'You have served our turn, we are going. We wish you luck'?"

That, said Col. Ward, is unthinkable. It would be black treachery to leave them to face the enemies they have made for our sakes without anything more substantial than our goodwill.

### British Monitor Was Not Raided

London.—It is declared in official quarters that there is no truth in the report that a party of Sinn Feiners on a recent night had boarded a British monitor off Cork, overpowered the skeleton crew and raided the vessel. The report, printed in the Daily News, added that the raiders had escaped with a quantity of rifles, munitions and valuable instruments.

### Kolchak on Offensive

Omsk. — General headquarters of the Kolchak army announced that the offensive was being pressed successfully along the Siberian front. The enemy is being driven back everywhere with severe losses, the announcement says, and has been compelled to abandon prisoners and important booty.

## Will Paralyze Steel Industry

**Great Strike Is Declared Despite An Appeal From President Wilson to Wait**

Washington.—Regardless of the request of President Wilson that they take no action pending the coming industrial conference, representatives of the organized workers in the steel industry called a strike, effective September 22, to compel recognition of their unions, and of the principle of collective bargaining by the United States Steel Corporation.

The executive council of the 24 unions represented among the workers made known their decision in an announcement issued after they had requested the President, by telegraph, for a "more definite statement" as to the possibilities of arranging a conference with steel corporation officials, and after they had received a reply from the President asking that they withhold action until after the industrial conference.

## Aliens In Canada

**W. D. Euler Will Enquire How Many Are Still Interned**

Ottawa.—The question of interned aliens is to be brought to the notice of the House ,of Commons by W. D. Euler, North Waterloo, who has given notice that he will enquire how many alien enemies are still interned in Canada, how many were interned after the signing of the armistice, and when may their release or repatriation be expected.

Mr. Euler will also ask if a British subject being a naturalized citizen of New Zealand, of German origin, may be interned in Canada, or if he may be deported to Germany.

### $400,000 Wage Increases

Winnipeg. — Although no official statement will be made until the end of the week, it was learned from an authoritative source that wage increases to the extent of $400,000 must be made by the Winnipeg Electric Railway, according to a decision reached by the Mathers board, which recently sat to investigate the men's grievances. The increases may be made retroactive, it is stated. This increase will affect carmen, conductors, motormen, trackmen, repairmen and inspectors.

### To Control Cold Storage

Washington.—The first of the high cost of living laws proposed by President Wilson took form when the house agriculture commission ordered favorably reported a bill to control cold storage. All containers of food when placed in storage would be stamped "cold storage food" and the dates upon which they entered and left storage would be stamped.

### Against Trade With Germany

Melbourne.—Premier Hughes, addressing a meeting of the Nationalists' Federation, said that Germany stood today the best organized nation in the world for a commercial war. He said some people had spoken to him of trade relations with Germany. If they wanted trade relations with Germany, they must get somebody else. (Cheers.)

# Peace Treaty Is Signed By Austria

St. Germain.—Austria's signature to the peace treaty and the departure of Dr. Karl Renner, the Austrian Chancellor and head of the peace delegation, for Vienna in an endeavor to brace up the unstable government have caused a feeling of relief in conference circles, where there has been great uneasiness lest the Vienna government should fall before the completion of the treaty.

The Bulgarian treaty probably will be handed to the Bulgarian delegation on Sept. 12 at the French Foreign Office, where arrangements have been made for an informal cermony, the Bulgarians having expressed discontent in the proposed simple delivery of the treaty by the secretary of the conference.

Probably 21 days will be granted the Bulgarians to make observations on the treaty, and it is expected that the conference will take a short vacation while the Bulgarians have it under consideration.

Dr. Renner's cheerful acceptance of the treaty which he had frankly denounced as impossible of acceptance, and the dignified good nature he displayed throughout the day's ordeal, when he alone faced the peace conference and signed the document which seals the fate of the old Austro-Hungarian empire and precludes the union of the old Austro-Hungarian empire and remaining fragment of the dual empire with Germany, proved the transcending feature of the ceremony and excited the imagination of all the allied delegates and spectators.

The feeling of friendliness among Austria's former enemies inspired by Dr. Renner's sportsmanlike conduct augurs well for Austria, and is generally commented upon as assurance that Vienna, with its two millions of population, and the four millions in the remaining bit of old Austria, comprising the present republic, may reasonably expect amelioration of the treaty terms in the near future if they make an honest effort to live up to them.

## Serious Outbreak Of Rioting In Boston

**Two Men and Boy Killed in Turbulent Outbreaks in Massachusetts Capital**

Boston, Mass.—Two men and a boy were killed in turbulent outbreaks growing out of the police strike. There were numerous injuries of a minor nature to members of mobs, police officers and state guardsmen.

The most serious disturbances were in the vicinity of Scollay Square and South Boston. Cavalry charged the crowds, and a machine gun was used, one man being killed and several wounded by its fire. Property damage was slight compared to that inflicted by the wild rampage of hoodlums.

One of the most serious elements in the complicated outlook was the possibility of sympathetic strikes by labor unions, which have declared their support of the policemen's union. Like the patrolmen's organization, most of these unions are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The crowd early became riotous and cavalrymen were sent to disperse it. The mob surged in and out of the square. Shots were fired and an unidentified man was killed. A woman was wounded in the arm, a middle-aged volunteer policeman was so badly beaten that he was removed to a hospital, and three cavalrymen were hit over the heads by other missiles and also were given hospital treatment. After military reinforcements arrived the square was finally cleared.

The South Boston district was so turbulent that it was considered one of the worst danger spots, and a large force of troops was thrown in there. For some time they had in check the mobs of the Peninsula section, but late at night conditions were so menacing that a machine gun crew was rushed over to aid them.

So fierce was the resistance of the angry crowd to the efforts of the guardsmen to preserve some sort of order that guns were levelled and the machine gun was put in position. All sorts of missiles were hurled at the guardsmen. A shower of stones so endangered the soldiers that machine gun crews were ordered to fire. One man was killed and several wounded.

## Hurricane Hits Florida

**It Is Believed That the Damage Will Exceed $2,000,00**

Key West, Fla. — Lower Florida was paralyzed as a result of a violent hurricane that passed over that section. Three hundred and twenty frame buildings practically were razed, many church edifices wrecked and five retail stores tipped over. The damage is estimated at more than $2,000,000.

Shipping off the coast met with disaster. Several small vessels were sunk and others were driven on to the reefs. A strong wind and rough sea prevented rescue work.

In the little town of Goulds, near Miami, eight buildings were totally destroyed and 13 partially demolished.

Although the property damage was enormous, no fatality has been reported.

The steamer Grampus, with a crew of 125 men, was sunk in Key West harbor, and the two-masted schooner U. V. Drew, bound from Tampico for Cuba, with a crew of seven men, was reported sunk off Key West harbor, where she had put in to escape the storm. Whether or not the crews escaped is not known. The navy radio station was put out of commission. Fruit and vegetable growers suffered the heaviest losses, the damage around Miami being estimated at half a million dollars.

### Gave His Blood to Save Life

Kingston, Ont.—A case of unusual self-sacrifice is revealed in an operation performed in the Queen Military Hospital. Sergt. Thompson, a patient at the hospital, is a victim of pernicious anaemia, and the hospital doctors decided that a transfusion of blood was necessary. Volunteers were asked for, and the first to offer was Harry Parkes, an orderly at the hospital. The operation was carried out successfully. A pint of blood was drawn from Parkes and transfused into the system of Thompson. Both men are doing well, and the patient's life will be prolonged many years.

### War Indemnity for Australia

Melbourne.—Premier Hughes has informed the members of the Australian cabinet that if Germany makes the first indemnity payment by 1920 Australia's share will be ten million pounds sterling. When the indemnity was fully paid, he stated, Australia's share would be nearly sixty million pounds sterling.

## Postal Workers Set Own Path

**Will Not Affiliate With Trades and Labor Council Nor Participate In Other Strikes**

Winnipeg.—At a meeting of the Winnipeg branch of the Amalgamated Postal Workers, it was unanimously resolved not to affiliate with the Trades and Labor Council, and not to participate in any local or sympathetic strikes. The general executive was informed that the Winnipeg branch desires the clause permitting participation of a branch in local strikes deleted from the constitution.

It was decided to demand from the government representation on any deputation that would meet the Cabinet to discuss the civil service reclassification bill.

The next meeting of the Winnipeg branch will discuss the reductions in salaries caused by the new cost of living bonuses, which bonus reduces salaries of most employees from $40 to $100 a year, and the changes desired in the reclassification bill.

Frank R. Sutton was elected president, William Moore vice-president, and E. J. L. Fuller general secretary.

## Want Red Cross Help

**Canada Can Aid Kolchak By Sending Supplies**

Ottawa. — Kolchak and Denikine must be given support by means of munitions and Red Cross supplies if the menace of Bolshevism is to be swept from Russia, in the opinion of Lieut.-Col. Douglas D. Young, who went to France with the B.C.D., and who was a member of the British military mission in Siberia.

Col. Young laid the facts about Russia before the members of the House of Commons. What Canada can do to help the downtrodden Russian people is to send Red Cross supplies, said Col. Young, who stated the men were being sent down from the line with their wounds bound up with dirty rags, and there was an entire absence of medical and surgical needs in the country.

## Last Of Canadian Contingent

**Only 8,000 Canadians Now to Return From Overseas**

London. — Col. Thomas Gibson, Toronto, assistant overseas minister; Col. A. G. Rankin, medical headquarters, and Col. Lang, Ottawa general staff, have sailed on the Caronia. The Regina takes the last contingent from Witley camp. The Corsican leaves Glasgow with 300 families. The Araguaya makes her last voyage as a hospital ship. Less than 8,000 Canadians now await repatriation. The sailings will gradually decrease from now onwards, parties being rarely more than 400.

## Russian Evacuation Retarded

**Bringing Away Many Women and Children Whose Lives Are in Danger**

London.—Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary of State for War, in a statement just issued denies that there has been any change in the British policy to evacuate North Russia.

Evacuation, however, has been retarded owing to the necessity for bringing away many Russians who are in danger of their lives, as well as women and children.

Mr. Churchill admits it will be impossible to effect a junction with Admiral Kolchak before winter. He denies that British troops are employed, or that the British Government has accepted any responsibility in operations against Petrograd.

### Sir Arthur Currie on War Gratuities

Hamilton, Ont.—General Sir Arthur Currie, the Canadian commander, who was received with open arms by this city, stated that while he sympathized with the veterans in their efforts to secure a more liberal allowance, he thought the $2,000 gratuity asked would prove too great a burden for the country to bear. The veterans' plea to have a commission appointed to consider their claims was reasonable, he said, and should receive consideration. He was in favor of generous pensions, and said the present pension regulations would have to be readjusted.

### Held Up German Goods

Melbourne. — Although the cables state that trade between Germany and Britain has been resumed, many German goods arriving in Australia are still liable to seizure and confiscation. Commercial men are still waiting for the government to make some detailed announcement regarding the embargo on trade relations with the Germans.

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# A Strong Navy For Australia

## Strike Leaders Released

**Were Greeted By Large Gathering of Sympathisers on Leaving Jail**

Winnipeg.—After twenty-six days' incarceration, the eight strike leaders who have been held in the provincial jail pending their trial on charges of seditious conspiracy, were granted bail. Chief Justice Mathers, who, together with Mr. Justice MacDonald and Mr. Justice Metcalfe, heard the arguments of counsel, read the decision of the court.

Bail was granted in the sum of $4,000 each and two sureties of $2,000 each.

The court found that it had not been proven that the accused would not appear to stand their trial, and the decision went on to state: "The court would not be justified in refusing bail on the sole ground that public safety might be endangered by permitting the accused to be at large.

The decision, as read by Chief Justice Mathers, follows: "Because of the great public interest involved in this prosecution, and because bail has once been refused by a brother judge, I asked my brothers, MacDonald and Metcalfe, to sit with me while hearing this application, and had the satisfaction of knowing that both concurred with me in the views here expressed.

"I therefore order that the accused be admitted to bail in the sum of $4,000 each and two sureties of $2,000 each."

Immediately the court had adjourned, E. C. MacMurray, together with the bondsmen, left for the provincial jail, where the formal proceedings preceding the release of the accused were completed.

William Ivens was the first of the eight leaders to be released. His appearance in the doorway of the jail was the signal for cheers from the crowd of workers, numbering over 1,500, who had gathered to greet their leaders. Someone in the crowd started singing "For he's a jolly good fellow," and the song was immediately taken up. Ivens was "chaired" and carried around the square.

"I've gained eight pounds in the time I've been here," said Ivens, "and I think I'll go out and rob a bank to get back; they've treated us so well."

Ald. John Queen was the next to appear. He, too, received the same greeting from the crowd. The remainder of the men, Ald. A. A. Heaps, George Armstrong, R. E. Bray, W. E. Pritchard, R. J. Johns, and R. B. Russell came out together. They were immediately seized by their friends and "chaired."

### New Zealand Needs Millions

Wellington, N.Z.—The House of Representatives has authorized the government to borrow sixteen and a half million pounds sterling to be used for the settlement of ex-service men in New Zealand. The interest on the loan will be free from income tax.

Sydney, N.S.W.—Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, whose mission here is the reorganization of the Australian navy, has completed his report. This provides for the establishment of an Australian naval unit, composed of eight modern battle cruisers, twelve light cruisers, twenty-four destroyers and twelve submarines and supply ships. This program is to be completed in 1923 at a cost of $25,000,000 annually.

It is considered doubtful that the government will accept these proposals.

## Nationalization Of Mines Endorsed

**United Mine Workers Also Resolve on Six-Hour Day in All Coal Mines**

Cleveland. — Nationalization of mines as a general principle was approved by the convention of the U.M.W. of A., with only one dissenting voice, the sole objector being shouted down when he declared nationalization an impossibility. He later explained that he only meant impossible for the present. Concrete proposals for nationalization are expected when the report of the committee on resolutions is presented with the discussion of this theme.

The convention voted with the same unanimity for the six-hour day and five-day week in all coal mines—to be incorporated in the demands presented to the mine operators at the joint wage conference at Buffalo, September 25, but deferred discussion of specific wage demands until later.

### South Africa Ratifies Peace Treaty

Capetown, South Africa. — The House of Assembly has ratified the peace treaty.

Lieut.-Gen. J. C. Smuts, Premier of the Union of South Africa, replying during the course of the debate in the House of Assembly on a motion for the ratification of the peace treaty, said he did not ask the house to approve, but merely to ratify the treaty. The Germans had been told that if there were parts of the treaty would could not be carried out they had the means of obtaining modification in the League of Nations, in which he foresaw the enemy countries would become members at no distant date.

### To Further Irrigation Plans

Edmonton.—"There are a number of things to be settled between the Dominion Government and us in connection with the matter, but I say go ahead with your schemes, and we will not hold you up."

This was the assurance given by Premier Stewart to a big deputation of landowners from Southern Alberta, who are interested in the promotion of irrigation in the south country, and came to the provincial ministry to ascertain their attitude in the matter.

The light in the eye of a gossip is of several scandal power.

# For State Ownership Of British Mines

Glasgow. -- By an overwhelming vote the Trades Union Congress passed a resolution favoring the nationalization of the coal mines. The motion, presented by Robert Smillie, the miners' leader, was carried by a vote of 4,478,000 against 77,000.

The result of the vote was to throw virtually the entire congress solidly behind the coal miners' demands for the nationalization of their industry. The resolution pledges insistence by the body that the government adopt the majority report of the Coal Commission presented last June, known as the Sankey report.

This report provides for the state ownership of the mines and for joint control of their operation, in which the miners would have an effective voice. The resolution passed, calling for acceptance of the report by the government, adds:

"In the event of the government still refusing, a special congress shall be convened to decide what form of action shall be taken to compel the government to accept."

The resolution rejects the proposed alternative scheme of the government as contrary to the "interests of the nation," and as "creating the distinct trustification of the coal industry."

## Wheat Board Ruling

**New Order Forbids Railway Companies to Transfer Wheat Without a Permit**

Winnipeg.--The Canadian Wheat Board has issued an order (No. 42) which stipulates that no wheat shall be transferred by any railway company in the following areas of Alberta and Saskatchewan without a permit from the Canadian Wheat Board. In Alberta: The area bounded on the north by the C.P.R., Lacombe to Compeer; on the west the boundary line of the province; on the south the international boundary; and east by the Saskatchewan river. In Saskatchewan: C.P.R. subdivision, Cutknife, Wilkie, Hardisty, Macklin, Biford, Helfield, Kerrobert, Coronation, Swift Current, Empress, Maple Creek, Maynard, Shaunavon and Govenlock.

C.N.R, subdivision, Kindersley, Hanna, Elrose and Delisle.

G.T.P, line, Trandorato, Artland, Biggar, Calgary branch, Cutknife branch and Alean, Battleford branch.

When it comes to speaking ill of their neighbors most people are there with the goods.

# It's up to you to have the best!

*The man who buys an inferior article is the loser in the long run. Its the long run that counts.*

## Jubilee High Oven Range

Weight 700 lbs.

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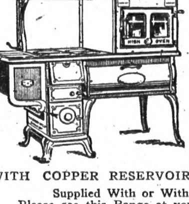

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Three Ovens.
Covered Pot Holes in Baking Ovens.
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Deep Fire Box with Linings weighing 102 lbs.
BAKES PERFECTLY WITH HARD OR SOFT COAL, COKE OR WOOD — AND CAN EASILY BE FITTED FOR NATURAL GAS.

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Please see this Range at your Dealer's, or Full Particulars will be sent you upon request.

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## Triumphs Of British Shipbuilding

**Remarkable Results Achieved in Spite of the Stress of War**

It is known to everybody that the construction of new British naval vessels was carried through with feverish haste during the war, but the world is only now becoming acquainted with the remarkable results which were achieved in spite of the stress of war conditions. In peace time it is the custom of the British Admiralty not to accept vessels except after exhaustive preliminary trials. naturally, also, it is customary for the shipbuilders to take minute care of every detail of the engines and other equipment. War production, however, reached so high a stage of efficiency that the Admiralty was able to dispense with these trials. High-powered vessels went to sea after a basin trial and steamed at full speed in a very short time. H.M.S. Resolution, for example, steamed straight out into the North Sea before daylight, reached her full power within one hour, and ran without a hitch to her station in the Firth of Forth. Many battleships and cruisers went to sea fully commissioned and ran the necessary trials on their way to the appointed naval base. One particular destroyer raised her full power within seven minutes of leaving the piers on her first voyage. Only marine engineers, who know how the trials of a well-built ship may be ruined by a trifling flaw in one of a multitude of details, can fully appreciate the meaning of this series of successful flying starts from the fitting-out basin. They form a magnificent tribute to the soundness of British engineering. Nothing but the best designs, the most accurate construction, and the most skilful assembling could have produced such a triumph.

## Hollanders Find Kaiser Expensive

**Has Already Cost Our Country A Total Of 20,000**

Amerongen. — Under the headline "An expensive foreigner in Amerongen" the Amsterdam Handelsblad a copy of which has been received here, says nineteen policemen, whose salaries total 75 guilders daily have been guarding the former German emperor since November. The ex-Kaiser has already cost our country a total of 20,000 guilders," says the newspaper, "truly an expensive foreigner." It is understood here that there has been no change in the status of the former German emperor with the Netherlands government and that he is still confined to certain limits.

Report has it that he expects to bring to Holland his own furniture from German castles to furnish his newly purchased home, the house of Doorn, if the German government gives its consent.

## Poles Make Use Of Tanks

London, England.—Poles have captured the fortified town of Bobruisk, 85 miles southeast of Minsk, according to an announcement by the Polish authorities. They took 500 prisoners, and Poles used tanks for the first time. The enemy retreated to the eastern bank of the Beresina river, destroying the bridges.


**Your Asthma, Too.** — The efficacy of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is not something that is merely to be hoped for; it is to be expected. It never fails to bring relief, and in your own individual case it will do the same. So universal has been the success of this far-famed cure that everyone afflicted with this disease owes it to himself to try it.


Two hundred and fifty miles of British war medal ribbon are to be issued to men and women entitled to these decorations through the recent edicts of the King.

**First Question**

"What material would you suggest for a bathing suit?"

"Do you want it to bathe in?" asked the competent clerk.


BOVRIL

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## French Naval Base Abolished

Rome, Italy.—The Italian papers state that the Americans and their ship Olympia have left Spalato, and that the French naval base at Fiume has been abolished. The military force at Fiume is stated to be reduced to a brigade consisting of a squadron of British, and a battalion of French, under the command of General Pittalura.


St. Joseph, Levis, July 14, 1903.
Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Gentlemen,—I was badly kicked by my horse last May, and after using several preparations on my leg nothing would do. My leg was black as jet. I was laid up in bed for a fortnight and could not walk. After using three bottles of your MINARD'S LINIMENT I was perfectly cured, so that I could start on the road.
JOS DUBES,
Commercial Traveller.


The Royal Astronomical Society of Great Britain is in possession of a log of wood which is supposed to be part of the apple tree from which the apple fell in Sir Isaac Newton's garden, leading him to investigate the law of gravitation.

A golden hook in the sea of matrimony needs no bait.


**Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.**


**War Cost 200 Billion**

Paris.—Finance Minister Klotz announced in the Chamber of Deputies that the war expenses of the allies had been estimated at $200,000,000,000. According to Klotz, Germany will pay France $18,500,000,000 within the next 36 years.


**Cook's Cotton Root Compound.**

*A safe, reliable regulating medicine.* Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, $1; No. 2, $3; No. 3, $5 per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet. Address: THE COOK MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Windsor.)

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THERAPION SAFE AND LASTING CURE.
SEE THAT TRADE MARKED WORD 'THERAPION' IS ON BRIT. GOVT. STAMP AFFIXED TO ALL GENUINE PACKETS.


## Value Of Mixed Farming

**Steady Growth of Saskatchewan's Dairy Industry**

The output of creamery butter in Saskatchewan this year will easily exceed one million pounds and will be worth about $600,000. It will be seen, therefore, that Saskatchewan farmers do something else besides growing grain of a high quality. The growth of the dairy industry in this province has been remarkable. In 1916, 381,993 pounds of creamery butter were manufactured, in 1917, 465,717, and last year 667,285 pounds.

"Liquor Goes Down to Defeat." — Jackson Citizen-Patriot. It may in Michigan. It goes the other way here.—Chicago Tribune.


**CHILDREN NEED HELP**

**Spanking doesn't cure bed-wetting —the trouble is due to weakness of the internal organs. My successful home treatment will be found helpful. Send no money but write me today for free trial treatment. My treatment is equally successful for adults, troubled with urinary difficulties.**

**MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 966 Windsor, Ont.**



**MONEY ORDERS**

Dominion Express Money Orders are on sale in five thousand offices throughout Canada.


## Wants Prince On Tiger Hunt

A strange letter reached the Prince of Wales not very long since from a small Indian village at the foot of the Himalayas. It was written on a piece of dried tiger skin, apparently with a pointed stick and some red dye.

The writer stated that his father had had the honor of escorting the late King Edward when he went tiger shooting in the jungle, and expressed the hope that should the Prince ever feel inclined to attempt the ascent of the Himalayas, the latter would honor him by accepting him as one of the guides for that somewhat hazardous adventure.


**"Cold In the Head"**

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the System, cleanse the Blood and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.
All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free.
$100.00 for any case of catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not cure.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

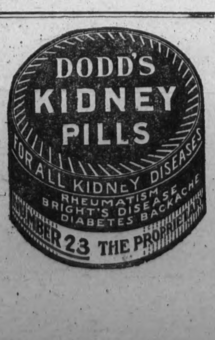

## Ex-Kaiser Not Wealthy

**Total Amount of Cash When He Fled to Holland Was 650,000 Marks**

Berlin.—The total amount of cash former Emperor William had on his person when he fled to Holland was 650,000 marks, according to a statement made by Dr. Albert Suidekum, Prussian minister of finance.

Dr. Suidekum also declared that a careful investigation had failed to prove that the former German imperial family has capital "planted" abroad. The minister added that he expected shortly to announce the proposed plan of settlement of the Hohenzollern family's financial affairs. This would not be dictated "by pettiness or malice" and would not call forth unjustified criticism.

Don't be ashamed to begin life with a small show; you may eventually be the owner of a three-ring circus.



## Indian Farms Do Well

Saskatchewan Indians will reap a fair crop as the result of the extensive greater production scheme on which they entered a year ago, under the stimulus of the war. In 1918 much raw prairie was plowed in readiness for seeding this year. Although drought has proved a handicap in some of the reserves, in the main the crop has turned out well, and an average of fifteen bushels of wheat an acre will reward the red men for their efforts.


## Other Tablets Not Aspirin At All

**Only Tablets Marked With "Bayer Cross" Are Aspirin**

**If You Don't See the "Bayer Cross" on the Tablets, You Are Not Getting Aspirin — Only Acid Imitation**

BAYER

Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are now made in Canada by a Canadian Company.—No German interest whatever, all rights being purchased from the United States Government.

During the war, acid imitations were sold as Aspirin in pill boxes and various other containers. The "Bayer Cross" is your only way of knowing that you are getting genuine Aspirin, proved safe by millions for Headache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, and for Pain generally.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—also larger sized "Bayer" packages can be had at drug stores.

Aspirin is the trade mark, registered in Canada, of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.


Business women should never marry men who are unable to cook and sew on buttons.


Corns and warts disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Cure without leaving a scar.


Women who talk most usually mean what they don't say.


**Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.**


**German Pianos All Ready**

The report comes from Great Britain that the Huns have 43,000 pianos ready to dump on the markets of the world, and at much cheaper prices than those existing now. This is a sharp reminder that the Huns are looking out for export trade and that it is necessary for the British Empire to get ahead of them. The Huns "have got" to work and work hard in order to meet their indemnities, and this means that other nations will have to work a little bit harder than they. These pianos are playing a tune which Canada should listen to. —Kingston Standard.




## KEEP CHILDREN WELL DURING HOT WEATHER

Every mother knows how fatal the hot summer months are to small children. Cholera infantum, diarrhoea, dysentry, colic and stomach troubles are rife at this time and often a precious little life is lost after only a few hours illness. The mother who keeps Baby's Own Tablets in the house feels safe. The occasional use of the tablets prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if trouble comes suddenly—as it generally does—the Tablets will bring the baby safely through. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.


## Preserving Fruits And Vegetables

**Valuable Bulletin Issued By the Department of Agriculture**

In canned goods there are two kinds of spoilage. The first is called "flat sour," which includes all forms of bacterial growth that develop within the food. The second type of spoilage to guard against is mould, a plant growth that is distinctly different from the bacterial growth. Moulded foods are seldom more than surface affected, because air is necessary for its growth, but the "flat sour" spoilage means that the entire can must be discarded. Bulletin No. 93 of the Dominion Experimental Farms, "Preservation of Fruits and Vegetables for Home Use," which may be had on application to the publications branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, gives full information on the various methods of canning, including old and valuable recipes as well as new ones, which have been found valuable. Canning has become the most popular means of preserving large quantities of fruit and vegetables, and since these are plentiful during the summer months and at other times difficult to obtain, it is important to preserve quantities during the growing season for use in winter. Moreover, the use of an abundant supply of fruit and green vegetables is essential to health at all seasons of the year.

**Ask Leniency for Canadians**

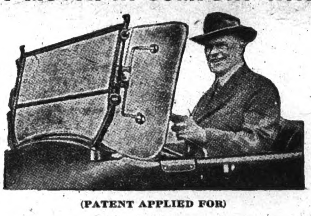
London.—A petition is being promulgated here for a reduction of the sentence of 12 months upon several Canadian soldiers in connection with the Epsom riots. When Justice Darling passed sentence, he excused the prisoners from hard labor on account of their war service, and added that there seemed to be no difference between their conduct and some of the people belonging to this country, except that the latter were, if anything, worse.

Arguments were subsequently addressed to the court of criminal appeal for a reduction of sentence, but without effect.

**British Forces Evacuating Archangel**

London.—Evacuation of Archangel by the British expeditionary forces is in progress, it was officially announced here.


# YOU CANNOT MOTOR IN COMFORT WITHOUT THEM



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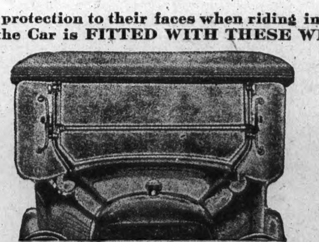
**MOVABLE IN ALL DIRECTIONS**
**THEY KEEP OUT DUST, WIND, RAIN, SLEET AND SNOW**

Will also adjust to throw the air directly upon the occupants of the front seats and tonneau at will. The Royal Simplex Wings are handsomely designed, and add a note of distinction to the finest automobile—and add class to the cheaper grade of cars. Can be clamped on any make of car in five minutes.
The sale of the Royal Simplex Wings has been enormous since they were first put on the market in the United States.

**Ladies need no protection to their faces when riding in the front seat when the Car is FITTED WITH THESE WINGS**



**Royal Simplex Windshield Wings** eliminate the draught for those in the front seat. In rainy weather it is not necessary to use side curtains for the front seat, thereby allowing the driver the same view of the road as in clear weather.

**RETAIL PRICE $25.00 per pair NET**

**In Nickel or Black Enamel**
**In ordering give the name of car and year built**
**Can be procured from**

**THE ROYAL SIMPLEX WIND DEFLECTOR CO.**
**120 Wellington Street West, TORONTO, CANADA**
**175 McDermott Ave., WINNIPEG, Man.**
Or from any dealer in Automobile Supplies or Garages

**What is a double acting baking powder?**

A double-acting baking powder is one that starts its action in the mixing bowl and finishes it in the oven.

Ordinary baking powders develop their full strength in the mixing bowl and you have to hurry your cakes into the oven. Then, you are always afraid that the oven is not just hot enough, or that a door will slam or something else happen to cause the cakes to fall.

You don't have to hurry or worry when Egg-O Baking Powder is used. Egg-O rises only *partly* in the bowl. You may let the dough stand 15 or 20 minutes or longer—doing so will give better results. When put into the oven, Egg-O continues its action—this *second* action being so steady and strong that a cake is not likely to fall even if it does get an unexpected jar.

**EGG-O Baking Powder**

is *double-acting* and just what is needed to make a light baking with the heavy Government Standard flours.

**Egg-O Baking Powder Co., Limited, Hamilton, Canada**

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### Alberta Egg Laying Contest.

The egg laying contest to be held at the Experimental Farm at Lethbridge will do much to establish the suitability of Alberta as an egg producing province. Already the Experimental Farm and the Department of Agriculture both produced a number of hens that lay over 200 eggs in a year and there is no reason why more breeders in the province shobld not do likewise. Contest will not only show that Alberta can produce high layers, but it will also bring out those that are breeding for high egg production, and will give them a standing in the business which nothing else will.

As egg laying contests are being conducted by the Experimental Farms in practically every province in the Dominion, a comparison of yields will be interesting and will be closely watched by all interested in poultry production. It is therefore, up to the breeders of the province to see that this contest, being held at Lethbridge, which starts November 1st, has as entrants, some of the best breeders in the province. We want to put Alberta on the map as an egg producing province.

Owing to the lateness in advertising, entries will be received up to the last of September, providing the contest is not full earlier. Rules and regulations have been well publisheu, but copies may be had on application to the Dominion Poultry Husbandman, Central Experimental farm, Ottawa. The entrance fee of $5.00 for a pen of ten birds should be sent at the time of application, and all cheques and money orders should be payable to W. A. Fraser, Accountant.

## Alma Mater

Mrs. C. A. Toll who has been visiting her brothers and friends at Lamont and Edmonton returned home Monday.

Carl Christenson has finished breaking for Wm. Woodley on Sec. 17-46-8.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt Swan from Lamont and Mr and Mrs. Thos. Mapier from California are visiting at the Toll ranch.

Pat McCauley who has been with his sisters Mrs McLean and Mrs. Patterson for three months has returned to his home in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Toll are visiting at Tofield.

Walter Renwick has his new Sawyer-Massey separator home and is ready now for threshing.

The grain is pretty well all cut in this district and soon the hum of the thresher will soon be heard.

Mr. and Mrs Pedigrew from Hamilton, Ont. are visiting their daughter Mrs. A. A. Fisher.

Dittberner Bros. are using their Fordson for all purposes. They now have it hitched to binders and it sure is some horse.

Costin Bros. were visitors to the Mannville fair last week and from all reports it wasn't up to standard

Lance King has a new car.


## Irma Times

H. G. THUNELL, Publisher

An independent newspaper published every Friday at Irma, Alberta, Canada

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Canada, one year.................. $1.50
Great Britain and U. S............ $2.00

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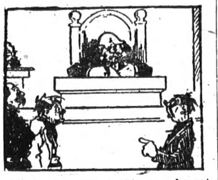
Reasonable rates are charged for display advertisements. Local notices in our paid local columns are ten cents per line first insertion and 5 cents per line each succeeding insertion. Legal notices 12c per line first insertion, 8c per line each succeeding insertion. Notices of Festivals, lectures, concerts, and all entertainments of a money-making character are 5c per line. Resolutions of respect one dollar for each insertion. Card of thanks 50c, Memoriams, 50c. Notices of stray or estray animals, three insertions for one dollar. All changes of advertisements must be in not later than Tuesday to insure change for that week.

Friday, Sept. 19th, 1919


**An Interrupted Fight!**



Magistrate: "Can't this case be settled out of court?"

Mike: "That's what we were trying to do, your honor, when the police interfered."

**Cause of Delay**

Lord Kitchener once related a somewhat grim story about a dinner that he once gave to a certain royal duke when he was in Egypt.

The acair was a great success, except that there was a slight delay in the middle of the meal.

The next day Kitchener complimented his native staff on the manner in which they had done their work, but asked what had caused the delay.

"Cook he die of cholera. Push him under table. Go on," was the naive reply that he received.

Luckily, there were no further ill-results from the incident.

**The Facts**

"When I was a boy I walked three miles to school every day, rain or shine."

"Yes, dad, I know all about that. Grandfather was telling me the other day how he usually had to drive you every step of the way with a club."

**Those Hasty Speeches!**

He: "Think of living in a shack like that. How would you like it?"

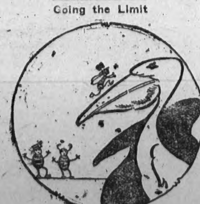
She: "Oh, George, this is so sudden!"

**The Iron Cow**

A most amusing slip was made the other day by an attorney, who was retained to defend a farmer, whom a late servant sued for wages alleged to be owing to him by defendant, who refused to pay on account of the servant leaving his employ without proper notice.

The attorney wound up a grandiloquent speech by informing his worship that the plaintiff had left his client in a fix by absenting himself from his duties when there were forty-one cows to milk, thus requiring "All hands to the pump!"

**Going the Limit**



Insect: "That Teddy Fly is an extravagant fellow!"

"Why?"

Insect: "Look at that big bill he's running up now!"

# Letter From Siberia.

Norman Beattie gets interesting letter from his brother in Siberia.

Ishim Siberia July 16. 1919

Dear brother:

Arrived here a short time ago after a journey of over a month from Vladivostok. Left there May 24th and arrived in Omsk June 30. In Omsk a week or so and then on here. This blace is 175 miles west of Omsk on the north line. Large shops and fair sized terminal.

My job is to keep an eye on the movement of trains and prevent any serious delay. Capt. Allen is in the same position regarding motive power and with an interpreter from the English speaking population of the town. The town proper is about a mile from the station but there is quite a settlement of railway employees close. The river is handy and we make good use of it hot days. Have had a lot of rain during the past week. Soil is a good black loam with clay subsoil. We had new potatoes yesterday. Have not had a chance to see any grain crops but garden stuff and flowers are showing well. The same varieties of each as grown in western Canada are found here. There are some great stretches of farm land in this country and parts of Manchuria if the people ever get settled and start to work. The agricultural resources are practically unlimited and there is abundant room for stock raising. Prices of what things can be obtained are from ten to twenty times their prewar cost and the majority of the people live a hand to mouth existence and some of the railroad employees can afford only two meals a day and not very substantial ones at that. Conductors salaries are about 450 roubles a month, a rouble now being worth between 4 and 5 cents. Bread is about 2 roubles a pound and not too plentiful, sugar is not to be had at any price. We have located a good place to board so are not troubled with any cooking. Had enough of it on the way up, five of us in one small car with a hot stove and often delayed between strings of cars at terminals where we got very little breeze. We did not meet with any of the Bolshies on the way but saw plenty of their work west of Irkutsk, stations burned, trains ditched, bridges destroyed etc For many miles the railroad is only operated as single track owing to the number of bridges yet to be repaired. At the point our train stayed all night and shortly after leaving Irkutsk guards were placed on the engine and at intervals along the train. I was on the engine with a couple of Russian soldiers. We each a .455 revolver and were issued with rifles. We carry our revolvers practically all the time and their size commands considerable respect. Do not anticipate any immediate trouble but the military situation is not exactly encouraging on this front. However a change may take place at any time and if so the scope of our work will be considerably enlarged. The length of our stay also depends on the same contingency so I cannot give you any idea of its duration. The pay is pretty fair and the expenses very small so if the thing holds out I may stay with it.

I sent you a photo from Vladivostok and seuding a group taken in front of the station, also two 50 kopek notes new issue of the Omsk government. There is practically no coin money of any kind and even postage stamps without gum on them are used.

Yours, Arch.
2nd Lieut A. G. Beattie,
British Railway Missions
Vladivostock, Russia.

**(From Viking News)**

Jas. Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Taylor arrived home from Winnipeg Sunday evening where he has been attached to the medical corps as ambulance driver.


**Teach the Children to Save**

Habits are acquired early in life. Children, who are taught the value of money and the habit of saving, grow up into good business men and capable women.

The easiest way to teach children to save, is to start a Savings Account for each child ($1.00 each is sufficient). After a child has saved another dollar to make an additional deposit, he or she will have a better appreciation of just what a dollar stands for, and how much work and self-denial it represents.

**THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA**

Head Office: Montreal. Established 1864.

IRMA BRANCH

W. MASSON, - - - - - - - Manager.



**RANGES**

We have just received a shipment of

**Moffat Ranges**

in three different Styles

CANADA B. $105. NELSON B $90

CITY QUEEN $70

Call and See Them

**W. KETCHEN & CO.**



**CHEVROLET**

IF ITS THE MOTOR CAR, GAS ENGINE, OR ANYTHING IN THAT LINE THAT NEEDS THE DOCTOR TAKE IT TO THE CHEVROLET GARAGE FOR FAIR TREATMENT AND BEST RESULTS.

Lou Mildon, Manager, Irma, Alberta



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If you are thinking about buying the quarter or half section adjoining you come in and see us about it before some one else gets it and cuts off your range.

We specialize in all kinds of Insurance.

Farm Loan Applications placed with us get prompt attention.

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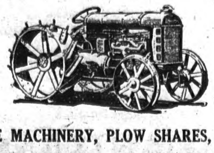
See us. Look over our stock of Ford Accessories and Parts

**Fordson Tractors**



**Waterloo Boy Engines**

**JOHN DEERE MACHINERY, PLOW SHARES, FAIRBANKS MORSE FEED GRINDER, AND PUMPING ENGINES**

**MOORE BROS., IRMA**
Garage, Ford Dealers, Gasoline and Oils, Auto Livery

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**Partially Improved Farm Lands**

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**Ransom Land Company**

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Eight head of horses have been grazing in Grattan Coulee near Hawkins station for over a year. Apparently no one seems to own them. The following brands appear to be on some of them:

on right shoulder

on left hip

on left shoulder and left hip

Probably some of our readers may know who these belong to. Information may be had by seeing H. W. Love or C. T. Hill.

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**S. W. 10-46-8-W4TH**
160 acres, about 100 acres open land, balance light brush, good district, small shack.
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H. W. LOVE
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## KINSELLA

A new man has arrived to take charge of the U.F.A. elevator. Now we will get six days service a week instead of three days as formerly.

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Miss Smith's hotel is now completed and is up-to-date in every way. No more need of people going by for the sake of a place to stop overnight.

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The Royal Bank is now nearing completion and is being plastered by a couple of men from Edmonton. It is understood it will be ready for occupancy in about one week.

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Mr. Hartford, the carpenter, is finishing up Samuel Bushaws house and will be all done in about one week.

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The G.T.P. has about twenty men and a steam shovel here lengthening out the siding. They will also haul a good deal of earth to fill in part of the Battle river bridge east of Irma. They expect to be here about three weeks.

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Mr. Thompson has just returned from a trip up north of Edmonton where he has located some land and plenty of feed for his stock. Mr. Thompson has sold his residence in town to V. A. Justice and intends leaving in about two weeks.

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Ole Christenson, the livery man, has moved his two shacks over on the west side of the town. He is having them put together and overhauled which makes them look fine.

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Ernie Williams has had a scale put in outside of his lumber yard. This will come in very handy.

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A large number of cattle have been brought in and sold to the diffeeent buyers during the week.

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Overbo brothers are busy now hauling lumber and material for a large hall to be built at Kinsella. The size will be 24x50 and will be a building that Kinsella will be proud of.

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Don't forget the date for the Kinsella fall fair Sept. 23rd.

Lundy Beschell, who had his leg badly broken some time ago when his team ran away, is improving very nicely now.

### POPULAR WANTS

**Strayed**—to SE 13-45-10, grey stallion, left hind foot blemished branded 38 on left shoulder. 26utf

**LOST**—N. E. Sec. 30-45-8, seven spring calves, 1 roan, 1 holstein, 5 white face, branded H on right hip. Three have hole in left ear. $2.00 reward for recovery of each animal. John Hubma, Irma P.O. 29-1p

**LOST**—Grey yearling mare colt, had buckskin halter on, branded GA on left thigh. $5.00 reward. G. Arnold, 4-47-8, Irma, Alta. 30-5p

**FOR SALE CHEAP**—First prize Buff Orpington cock, 6 hens, young cockerels and pullets. Also few S.C.White Leghorn Cockerels These birds are all pure bred. P. E. Jones, Irma. 30utf

**For Sale**—two bottom 12 inch Cockshutt gang plow stubble bottom, serviceable condition $45.00 Fourteen inch Moline sulky, stubble and breaker bottom, serviceable condition $40.00. Cash or will trade for young stock.—G. A. Sissons & Co Ltd, Sec 5-46-8. 3tc

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**Economy: IN FARM BUILDINGS**

**TO GET THE LEAST WALL AREA—TO SAVE BUILDING MATERIAL—TO SAVE IN COST OF CONSTRUCTION—TO REDUCE HEAT LOST THRU WALLS**
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Sometimes too little money is invested in farm buildings, in which case undue labor is required in taking care of the stock. Work is often done at a great disadvantage, to save a few dollars when the buildings are being constructed.

Plank Frame Barns—using nothing heavier than 2 inch plank—cost less to build and are becoming very popular. The principal reasons for this are, that his method saves in cost of lumber and provides for more storage room in the hay loft.

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## Good Roads And Education

In a report made to the Minister of Education for Saskatchewan, Mr. D. S. McCannel, chief attendance officer in the province, to whom is entrusted the administration of the Compulsory School Attendance Act, says, in part, as among the reasons assigned for the absence of children from rural schools: "Impassable roads, but this is a condition which will improve as the province grows older.

In previous issues, the writer of this column has dwelt upon the importance and necessity of good roads in these western provinces, and also upon the absolute necessity that farm boys and girls should be given the best possible education and kept in school as long as possible. In this article we hope to make clear the bearing which the provision of good roads has upon the successful carrying out of a better schools policy and a higher average attendance at school.

There are four main groups under which every problem treated as peculiar to rural communities are or can be properly grouped:

First: Greater production or more intensive farming, which is primarily a question of more population on the land.

Second: Proper educational facilities for the boys and girls, or provision for a high school education without forcing parents to leave the farm at the period of their greatest production in order to give their children an even start with the town boy and girl in educational equipment.

Third: Proper social and amusement facilities for the entire family as a primary means of keeping them contented with life on the farm.

Fourth: The development of a community spirit, hearty co-operation in a social and economic way, as the best means for guaranteeing the prosperity and contentment of all.

Thus, roughly, do we group the various topics which concern the relations of the people one with another, as distinguished from those which deal with those things that concern the individual farmer, such as better crops and improved livestock.

Now analyse this proposition: The solution of all these problems, the one final answer to them, the one thing that will lay the foundation that will make them possible, and leaves but details in connection with each to be arranged, but without which success cannot be achieved, is a passable system of all-the-year good roads.

In some of our more thickly populated districts in the West, a consolidated school would mean a vast improvement over several small district schools. It would be a better school in every way, and provision for high school training would be possible. But without good roads for the conveyance of pupils the consolidated school and rural high school is impracticable, and many of such schools established in the United States have been abandoned solely because of the impossibility of transporting the school children over the existing roads.

But, it is said, it will take money to build roads. Certainly it will, and lots of it. But the city dweller cannot live in an eight or ten-room house with electric lights, hot water and other modern conveniences for the same outlay that he can live in a cave. He pays for those conveniences and he finds that it pays him to pay for them. So with good roads—they will more than pay for themselves.

Here in Western Canada we are somewhat inclined to look upon the Province of Quebec as backward and slow because we are not fully informed of what is transpiring there. Within the past fifteen years Quebec has been forging ahead in general agriculture, dairying and livestock raising faster than Ontario, and in some respects more rapidly and substantially than these Western Provinces. Industrially and commercially it is going ahead by leaps and bounds, and a complete transformation is taking place educationally.

What is the basis for this development in Quebec? Everyone who has studied it has but one answer: Good roads. The Province of Quebec has now the best roads in the Dominion, as far as it has gone, and it means to continue until every farmer can get his goods to market, his children to school, and his family to church, without a breakdown or being mired.

Some years ago the Provincial Government asked for authority to spend $20,000,000 on roads. Some people who think the French-Canadian habitant is penurious and unprogressive might give some thought to the fact that they enthusiastically gave the necessary authority. That $20,000,000 has been spent, and Quebec now leads the Dominion in good roads. Two or three months ago the Government appealed to the people for a new mandate to keep on spending millions on good roads, the result being that a majority of Government supporters were returned by acclamation.

(Note.—Further consideration of this important subject will be reserved for next week.)

## LEMONS MAKE SKIN WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR

**Make This Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents and See for Yourself**

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to whiten the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with orchard white this way: Strain through a fine cloth the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing about three ounces of orchard white, then shake well, and you have a whole quarter pint of skin and complexion lotion at about the cost one usually pays for a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin.

Any druggist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons.

### Liman Von Sanders in Germany

Berlin, Germany.—Liman von Sanders has reached Germany from Malta, whence he was conveyed in a British ship to Venice. In a statement to a newspaper representative, he denied any responsibility for the Armenian massacres.

### Ratify Peace September 20

Paris.—According to the Echo de Paris, the Chamber will ratify the peace treaty on September 10, and the Senate will take similar action on September 20.

A Saver to pocket book and health, and a delight to the palate.
Do as your neighbor is doing and cut the high cost of living by drinking
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Instead of tea and coffee.

## Britain Needs More Modern Navy

**United Kingdom And Dominions Must Furnish The Money**

Vancouver, B.C. — A special cable from Sydney, N.S.W., to the Vancouver World says:

"Unless the United Kingdom and the Dominions are prepared to put their hands in their pockets it will not be possible to retain for the empire that sea supremacy which every citizen of the empire knows in his heart is vital to its existence,' said Admiral Lord Jellicoe in a forceful speech delivered to a large and influential audience here.

"Lord Jellicoe went on to say that after reading the cabled report of a letter written to the London Times by Lord Fisher, he was of the opinion that underlying Lord Fisher's demand for the scrapping of the present British navy was the idea that a bigger and more modern navy should be built."

Men listen when money talks. Probably that is why we sometimes hear of hush money.

There is no radical cure for laziness, but starvation will come the nearest to it.

Miller's Worm Powders work so effectively that no traces of worms can be found. The pests are macerated in the stomach and pass away in the stools without being perceptible. They make an entire and clean sweep of the intestines, and nothing in the shape of a worm can find lodgement there when these powders are in operation. Nothing could be more thorough or desirable than their action.

## Alberta Coal Discovery

**It Is Possible That Anthracite Coal Also Exists In Quantities**

Twelve or more seams of high-grade bituminous coal, all of great thickness and workable, are reported to exist at the junction of the Smoky and Muskeg rivers, located north of the Canadian Northern Railway, west of Edmonton. O. S. Finnie, inspecting engineer of the mining lands branch of the department of the interior, has just returned following a month of close exploration work on behalf of the department. In addition to this high-grade bituminous fuel, it is possible, according to Mr. Finnie, that anthracite coal also exists in quantities. Samples of the product will be taken to the laboratories by Mr. Finnie, and will undergo tests for later reports to governmental authorities. There is much evidence that coal exists in great seams, and investigation proves that not only is the quantity large but the quality is also good.

"He made violent love to you, didn't he?" asked the summer girl, pictured in Life.

"Dear me, no! He only asked to marry him."

### Would Aid France

Berlin. — Four hundred thousand German workers have volunteered for work of restoration in northern France, according to the Vorwaerts.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

### Caillaux Out of Prison

Paris.—Joseph Caillaux, the former premier, who has been in prison for more than a year, charged with having had treasonable dealings with the enemy, will be permitted to enter a sanatorium, the Temps says. Counsel for Caillaux requested recently that he be removed from prison on the ground that his health had been so weakened as to cause anxiety.

Peevish, pale, restless, and sickly children owe their condition to worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will relieve them and restore health.

## British Airship Plans

**Let Private Firms Have Advantages With Rigid Airship**

London.—The government has decided to retain only two airships of the rigid type and dispose of the others to a well-organized concern that would undertake to establish a commercial airship service. This announcement was made by Air Commissioner Seeley at a conference of representatives of aeronautical and engineering firms.

He added that the decision was based upon the necessity of cutting down expenses and in the belief that the best results in the future were likely to be attained by the encouragement of private enterprise.

It is not the clock that strikes the loudest that always keeps the best time.

Even a hen can scratch up trouble between neighbors.

ECZEMA IN RASH CUTICURA HEALS

Very Itchy and Burned. Troubled Six Weeks.

"Our daughter's face came out in a rash that we were told was eczema. Her cheeks got sore and she rubbed causing loss of sleep. The breaking out was very itchy and burned so that I had to tie gloves on her hands to keep her from scratching.

"This trouble lasted about six weeks before I used Cuticura. I used one large box of Cuticura Ointment with two cakes of Cuticura Soap when she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. H. Stares, Blenheim Rd., Galt, Ont.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum are ideal for daily toilet uses.

For free sample each of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. A, Boston, U. S. A." Sold everywhere.

## Six Killed On Ship

Vancouver.—S. McRae, of Vancouver, second engineer, and five Chinese firemen were killed on the steamship Melville Dollar, of Vancouver. The nature of the accident which caused the deaths of the six men is not known here. The steamer was off the China coast at the time, having left this port some weeks ago for the Orient.

Some things are just automatically funny; for instance, a frog, duck and a man in a bathing suit.

## FREQUENT HEADACHES

**A Sure Sign That The Blood Is Watery And Impure**

People with thin blood are much more subject to headaches than full-blooded persons, and the form of anaemia that afflicts growing girls is almost always accompanied by headaches, together with disturbance of the digestive organs.

Whenever you have constant or recurring headaches and pallor of the face, they show that the blood is thin and your efforts should be directed toward building up your blood. A fair treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will do this effectively, and the rich, red blood made by these pills will remove the headache.

More disturbances to the health are caused by the blood than most people have any idea of. When your blood is impoverished, the nerves suffer from lack of nourishment, and you may be troubled with insomnia, neuritis, neuralgia or sciatica. Muscles subject to strain are undernourished and you may have muscular rheumatism or lumbago. If your blood is thin and you begin to show symptoms of any of these disorders, try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as the blood is restored to its normal condition every symptom of the trouble will disappear. There are more people who owe their present state of good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills than to any other medicine, and most of them do not hesitate to say so.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Ticked Off

Cuthbert: Do you sell dog biscuits in this dirty little shop?

Offended Shopkeeper: Yes, sir; will you take them away or will you eat them here?

## DEATH REPORTED

An old offender that hung on for years. Nothing touched his stony heart but Putnam's Corn Extractor, and out he came, root, stem and branch. All corns cured just as quickly when Putnam's is used; try it, 25c at all dealers.

### German Gold Hoard Surrendered

After the conclusion of the armistice at Spa, it was decided that Germany, before being re-victualled, must deposit with the National Bank of Brussels as guarantee 370,000,000 marks (normally $92,500,000).

Part of this gold was placed at the disposal of the Bank of England in New York. It is now being taken from Brussels to London, whence it will be conveyed to New York in consignments of $4,000,000 and $8,000,000, guarded by escorts of Belgian soldiers.

### Ex-Kaiser Goes Calling

The Hague. — Former Emperor William of Germany, for the first time since he took refuge in Holland, was a guest outside Bentinck Castle. Accompanied by his wife, who made a previous visit there, and by Count and Countess Bentinck, William Hohenzollern motored to Belmont Castle, 10 miles from Amerongen, and took tea with the Countess Constant.

The once imperial couple returned late in the evening to Amerongen in a closed automobile.



## Great Silver Deposits Located In Burma

**Chinese Worked It Until Crude Appliances Failed Them**

London.—At a time so long ago that the very memory of it has faded Chinese prospectors, wandering over Burma, found a silver-bearing deposit and worked it until their crude appliances failed them. Then they left it.

For centuries the workings lay abandoned and unheeded. Not many years ago the deposit was rediscovered and floated as the Burma Corporation, whose shares knocked about an uninterested market at rubbish prices.

Development and assay have now revealed the interesting fact that those long-departed yellow men left behind them one hundred million ounces of silver, one million tons of lead, 750,000 tons of zinc, 30,000 tons of copper, the whole valued at present prices at between eighty and ninety million pounds sterling.

Pound shares have now risen to nearly ten, and a new company is to be formed in India with a capital equivalent to fifty million dollars.

No woman objects to embarking in a courtship.

Pain Flees Before It. — There is more virtue in a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil as a subduer of pain than in gallons of other medicine. The public know this and there are few households throughout the country where it cannot be found. Thirty years of use has familiarized the people with it, and made it a household medicine throughout the western world.

## Japan Violates Agreement

**Is Now Placing Morphia On Sale In China**

Greencastle, Ind. — "Japan is now violating the international agreement on the sale of morphia by sending the drug into China and placing it on sale there through strictly Japanese channels," declares William W. Lockwood of this city, who has spent 16 years in Young Men's Christian Association work in China, and who has been director in charge of this work at Shanghai.

"Following the shutting off of the production of opium in China," Mr. Lockwood said, "the trade for morphia with Japan grew rapidly. In the provinces or cities dominated by the Japanese the sale is heaviest. There the Japanese have established their own post office and the parcels of the morphia are sent through the Japanese mails to China and are then distributed to the consumer through Japanese druggists. The price is exceedingly high, due to the fact that the Chinese government forbids its manufacture, and the fact that it is a more powerful drug than opium.

"A newspaper in Tientsin made an investigation of the sale of morphia by the Japanese. In the capital of the Province of Shantung representatives of the newspaper purchased morphia in 200 places."

### Britain and U.S. to Protect Belgium

London.—The Evening Standard says it learns on the highest authority that Belgium's security in the future is to be guaranteed against the German aggression by Great Britain and the United States.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

"Why all the smile, Jones?"

"Forgot what the wife told me to get down town—"

"Well, call her up."

"I did, but she forgot what she told me not to forget."

He's starting right

Dad is happy to find that his boy won't have to put up with what he went through — dull blades, tingling face, half-removed stubble.

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### Australia Seeks Real Democracy

Melbourne.—Premier Hughes, in a speech, said Australia must have a government that had a clear and direct mandate from the people. Referring to the general political outlook, he declared that whatever became of the other League of Nations the league of the British Empire would never perish.

Always Serviceable. — Most pills lose their properties with age. Not so with Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. The pill mass is so compounded that their strength and effectiveness is preserved and the pills can be carried anywhere without fear of losing their potency. This is a quality that few pills possess. Some pills lose their power, but not so with Parmelee's. They will maintain their freshness and potency for a long time.

### Try This Recipe

"To give the face a good color," says an exchange, "get a pot of rouge and a rabbit's foot. Bury them two miles from home and walk out and back once a day to see if they are still there."

A bachelor's idea of "freedom" is to avoid getting tied up to one woman by getting tangled up with half a dozen.

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## THE COW PUNCHER

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"Fool," he said to himself. And because he could think of no more specific expression to suit his feelings, and because expression of any kind brought a sort of relief, he kept on repeating the word, "Fool, fool, fool!" And as his self-condemnation gradually won him back to a sense of perspective he became aware of the danger of his position. He went over the events of the recent months, and tried to be rational. He had left his ranch home to better himself, to learn things, to rise to be somebody. He had worked harder than ever before, at more disagreeable employment; he had lived in conditions that were almost nauseating, and what had he learned? That you can't beat a card man at his own game, price sixty dollars, and that the gallery seats are cheaper, and sometimes safer, than the orchestra.

Then all of a sudden he thought of Reenie. He had not thought of her much of late; he had been so busy in the days, and so tired at nights, that he had not thought of her much. True, she was always in the back of his mind; in his subconscious mind, perhaps, but he seemed to have put her away, like his skill with revolver and lasso. Now she burst upon him again with all that beauty and charm which had so magnetised him in those glad, golden days, and the frank cleanness of her girlhood made him disgusted and ashamed. It was to fit himself for her that he had come to town, and what sort of mess was he making of it? He was going down instead of up. He had squandered his little money, and now he was squandering his life. He had been drunk. . . .

Dave's nature was one in which emotions were accelerated with their own intensity. When he was miserable his misery left no place in his soul for any ray of sunshine. It fed on itself, and grew to amazing proportions. It spread out from its original cause and enveloped his whole life. It tinctured all his relationships, past, present and future. When a cloud of gloom settled upon him he felt that it would never lift, but became heavier and heavier until he was crushed under its weight. And the sudden manner in which Reenie had now invaded his consciousness intensified the blackness in which he was submerged, as lightning darkens the storm. He saw her on that last night, with the moonlight wooing her white face, until his own body had eclipsed it in a warmer passion, and he heard her words, "I know you are true and clean."

True and clean. "Yes, thank God, I am still that!" he cried, springing suddenly to his feet and commencing to dress. "I've been spattered, but nothing that won't wash off. Perhaps," and he stopped as the great thought struck him, "perhaps it was the luckiest thing in the world that the booze did put me out last night. . . . It'll wash off."

There was considerable comfort in this thought. He had wasted some precious months, but he had not gone too far, and there was still time to turn back. But he must begin work at once on the serious business of life. With this resolve his spirits returned with a rush, and he found himself whistling as he completed his toilet. There was no breakfast for the late sleepers Sunday mornings, and he went at once into the warm air outside. The sunshine fondled his body, his limbs, his face; the spring ozone was in his lungs; it was good to be alive. Alive—for a purpose. Well, he would start at once; how could he begin a life of purpose today? He was quite set on the necessity of doing something, but quite at sea as to what that something should be. It occurred to him for the first time that society had been much more generous in supplying facilities for a boy to go down hill than to go up.

He became aware of a bell ringing. At first the sound had fallen only on his subconsciousness, but gradually he became aware of it, as one being slowly recalled from sleep. Then he remembered that it was Sunday, and that was a church bell. He had often heard them on Sundays. He was about to dismiss the matter when a strange impulse came into his mind. Why not go to church? He had never been in church, and he felt that the surroundings of the pool hall would be much more congenial. He had little stomach for church. What if the rest of the gang should learn he had been at church?

"I believe you're afraid to go," he said to himself. That settled it. In a few minutes he was at the church door, where an oldish man, after surveying him somewhat dubiously, gave him a formal handshake and passed him into the hands of an usher. The usher led him down an aisle and crowded him into a small pew with several others. There were many unoccupied pews, so Dave concluded it must be a church policy to fill them full as far as they went. He also observed that the building was filling up from the rear, notwithstanding the efforts of the ushers to cajole the people farther down the aisles. Dave reflected that the custom here was quite different from the theatre, especially the "rush" gallery, where everyone scrambled for the front seats.

He was very conscious of being observed, and there was an atmosphere of formality and, as it seemed to him, of strained goodness that made him uncomfortable. But presently the organ commenced and diverted his interest from himself. It was very wonderful. His position commanded a view of the organist, and Dave marvelled at the manner in which that gentleman's feet hopped about, and how his hands flourished up and down, and occasionally jumped from the keyboard altogether to jerk out a piece of the machine.

Then the choir filed in. They were all dressed alike, and the men had a kind of a gown on. Dave thought that was very silly. By some mental freak he found himself picturing a man with a gown roping a steer, and it was only by a sudden tightening of his jaws that he prevented an explosion of amusement. He was still feeling very happy over this when a tall man entered from a side door and ascended the steps to the pulpit. He moved very solemnly, and when he sat down, rested his head on his hand for a minute. Then he looked over the audience, and Dave thought that his expression was one of approval. Then he looked at the ceiling.

"He feels safe in his seat," thought Dave. "No buckin' in this bunch. Well—"

The organ had broken forth in a great burst of sound and everyone was standing up. Dave did so, too, belatedly. Then everybody sang. They seemed to know just what to sing. It was all new to Dave, but it sounded all right. It made him feel just like the sunshine did after the stuffy room. Then they all sat down. Dave was becoming more alert, and was not caught napping in this movement.

There was a short prayer, which Dave did not understand, and more singing by everybody, and then the ushers came around for the collection. Dave did not know how much to put on the plate, but he supposed a good seat like this in the theatre would cost a dollar, so he put on that amount. He noticed that his neighbor on one side put on a nickel, and on the other side nothing at all. He began to think he must have made a mistake. All this time the organ was playing boisterously, but suddenly it dropped to a low, meditative theme, and Dave began to fear it would stop altogether. But no; a young woman was standing up in the choir; she was pretty, with quite a different air and finer comeliness than that of the theatre girls of the night before. In some vague way she seemed reminiscent of Reenie Hardy. Dave's introspection was not deep enough to know that any fine girl would remind him of Reenie Hardy.

Then she began to sing, and he felt again that the sunshine was playing about him, but this time he heard the birds, too, and the ripple of the distant water, and the stir of the spruce trees, and he could see the lattice of sunlight through their dark leaves playing on the brown grass, and there was a smell of distant wood smoke, and the glow of dying coals. . . . He was swaying gently in his seat, held in the thrall of her voice, and suddenly he was glad he had put a dollar on the plate. He could not follow all the words, but it was something about a land where the sun would never go down. Well — no doubt the preacher would tell them more about it.

Then there was a long prayer by the preacher. He began addressing the Deity as all mighty and all knowing, and then spent many minutes in drawing his attention to details which had evidently escaped His notice, and in offering suggestions for the better government of the universe. He dwelt on the humility and penitence of the congregation, including himself, and at this point Dave's unorthodox ear began to detect a false note. He looked about from preacher to congregation, and saw no evidence of penitence or humility. "If God is all-knowin'," said Dave to himself, "that preacher is goin' to get in wrong. Why, he couldn't put over that humility bunk on me."

At length it seemed that the sermon was really going to commence, but a well dressed man came down the aisle and read a long financial statement. Dave gathered from it that the Lord was pretty hard pressed for ready cash. "No wonder," thought he, "if they all give nickels and nothin's. Pretty well dressed bunch, too."

Finally the preacher took the meeting in hand again, and announced his text, but Dave soon forgot it in trying to follow the sermon. It was an orthodox exposition of the doctrine of the atonement. Dave would not have known it by that name, and there were many expressions which he could not understand, but out of a maze of phrases he found himself being slowly shocked into an attitude of uncompromising hostility. There was no doubt about it; the preacher was declaring that an innocent One had been murdered that the guilty might go free.

(To Be Continued.)


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## Province Seeks Own Powers

### British Columbia Wants Jurisdiction to Deal With Profiteering

Vancouver. — The mayors and reeves of 27 British Columbia municipalities met here, with Hon. J. W. DeB. Farris, attorney-general, to discuss measures for relieving the cost of living, and adopted a resolution suggesting the appointment of a provincial board of commerce for British Columbia, with full judiciary and administrative powers, to be appointed and administered by the federal government.

It was argued that the existing board of commerce, working from Ottawa, was too distant to be fully effective on the Pacific coast, and the feeling was that this federal board should be supplemented by a body with provincial jurisdiction, but with equal powers. The gathering asked the board of commerce to establish a legal business profit "spread" as an initial basis upon which profits could be figured where essential commodities were concerned.

### A Chemical Entente

At the recent annual meeting of the Association of British Chemical Manufacturers it was announced that a friendly understanding had been come to between the British and French chemical industries for cooperation in international development. The British association now represents £70,000,000 of capital invested, and continued rapid growth in the department of dyestuffs and fine chemicals is assured. The importance of chemical progress in its relation to industrial efficiency and the life of a nation cannot be overestimated, and everything possible will be done to hold and extend the amazing advance made in Great Britain in regard to the necessity for sudden development during war time.

### First Question

"What material would you suggest for a bathing suit?"

"Do you want it to bathe in?" asked the competent clerk.

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## Mounted Police Strength

### For First Time in History Now in Excess of Sixteen Hundred

Regina, Sask.—For the first time in the history of the force, the strength of the R.N.W.M.P. is in excess of 1,600 all ranks. Shortly after the outbreak of the war 500 men were taken on for a period of one year, bringing the strength to more than 1,500.

At the expiration of the year these men enlisted in various units when they learned there was no chance of the force going overseas as a unit. Continued enlistments and drafts brought the force to low ebb about a year ago.


## BABY HAD DIARRHOEA WAS GIVEN UP

### DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY CURED HER

Mothers should look well after their children during the hot summer months, as this is the time of year when the young ones are liable to all kinds of bowel complaints.

If your children have any looseness of the bowels do not experiment with new and untried remedies. Get one having stood the test of time. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been on the market for the past 74 years. Don't accept a substitute and perhaps endanger your child's life.

Mrs. Willis Coupland, Sundridge, Ont., writes: "About four years ago my little girl, then a baby two months old, took diarrhoea. I took her to the doctor, but to no avail. After he had given her up, I read of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and immediately got a bottle. Within two days she was improving fast. I cannot ever praise it enough. I hope some poor sufferers will see this letter and lead them to a friend indeed."

Price 35 cents. Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.


### Airship Program Reduction

London, England.—In accordance with the government's policy of economy, it has been decided to reduce the airship program, and work on several airships of the R-34 class which were nearing completion has been stopped. Certain airships and airship stations are to be placed at the disposal of commercial firms for the purpose of the development of commercial flying.

### Order Farms Seized

Berlin.—The Prussian minister of agriculture has empowered the local communities to seize farms whose owners refuse to enter labor contracts with their employees, or who fail to live up to the wage scales and where terms ended by contracts. The lands to be seized are to be administered by the respective communities for the common good.

## Open Northern Lands To Ranchmen

### Grazing Laws to Be Changed, According to Interior Department News

Ottawa. — The Department of the Interior has announced important changes in the regulations regarding grazing leases which are of particular interest to the West. The drought conditions which have prevailed in the southern portion of the prairie provinces have resulted in representations being made to the department by the possessors of small herds of from 50 to 500 cattle, for permission to move to lands farther north where better grazing facilities offer. Changes have been made in the grazing regulations to permit of this. There are large areas of land in these northerly prairie districts which, because of remoteness from settlement, liability to frost, or swampy or gravelly character of the soil, are not adapted to agricultural production, but which are, nevertheless, quite suitable for grazing purposes. The Minister of the Interior, Hon. Arthur Meighen, after careful consideration of the representations made, decided it would be promoting the best interests of this region as a whole if ranchers who wished to establish themselves permanently upon such areas and who have the proper qualifications, were permitted to migrate and settle there. In no case, however, will this arrangement be allowed to interfere with any promising movement to settle farmers on lands suitable for agricultural purposes.

Under the present grazing regulations leases are limited to a term not exceeding ten years, and to an area not larger than 12,000 acres, and in no case may a lease be issued to other than a British subject. With these conditions in force it was demonstrated that ranchers of the kind desired would not move their herds and establish their homes in the more northern country, where climatic conditions were such that they would be compelled to provide fodder for the winter months and to erect corrals and sheds for the protection of their stock, unless greater permanency of tenure were offered and in some cases, owing to sparsity of vegetation, a larger area per head of stock.

### Do Not Want Canadians to Remain in England

London.—The proposal to establish a permanent hostel for the benefit of Canadian soldiers who have taken their discharge in England does not meet with much approval from the Canadian authorities here. The opinion is prevalent that many of these men and their wives who have decided to remain in England for a couple of years or so be equally anxious to return to Canada. One authority says that at the present time a certain class of demobilized soldiers, who have been in England during the past five years are a bit dazzled at the wages now being paid, forgetting that the cost of living is steadily mounting. It is expected that joint British and Canadian government action will eventually have to be taken over this matter.

"If I'm disturbing you, father, I'll stop. I'm only practicing to kill time," said the young girl, pictured in Judge.

"Better stop, my dear, I think you've killed him."

Visitor: "Is your baby intelligent?"

Father: "Intelligent! Why, if she wasn't she'd never be able to understand the language my wife talks to her!"

He: She asked me if we were engaged, but I told her I was your friend, plain and simple.

She: You needn't have said you were simple, too.


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## Dismantling Of German Airships

### Some Were Destroyed During Last Weeks Of War

Berlin, Germany.—Neither the Imperial Air Office nor the War Office have vouchsafed any comment as yet upon the allied press report of the destruction of Germany's remaining Zeppelins. The former department has denied any knowledge of the matter, but the Berlin papers state on its authority that some of the German airships which were to be handed to the Allies were dismantled during the last weeks of the war as being of no further use for military purposes. Also that seven others were destroyed by their own crews about the time of the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow, although nothing was published in the press at the time.


## Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests, which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw, and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freezone applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freezone, which costs very little, but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dresser.


### Tapping Saskatchewan River

Regina, Sask.—The local Board of Trade will consult the provincial government on a prospect to tap the Saskatchewan river at the elbow to procure a water supply for Moose Jaw and Regina. Regina feels the need of an abundant and better supply. The cost per capita is estimated at less than that necessary in Greater Winnipeg.

Take your time, but keep your hands off the time of busy people.


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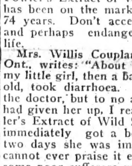
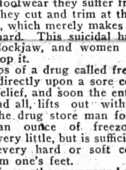
## Use More Corn Syrup For Preserving




Real home-made preserves, and the woman who puts them up—how they're both appreciated.

Preserving is not difficult to-day. The LILY WHITE way has removed the uncertainty.

Most of your preserving troubles have come from using sugar alone. Even the beginner can count on success if she will use half LILY WHITE and half sugar. LILY WHITE blends the sugar with the fruit and make preserves that will never crystallize.

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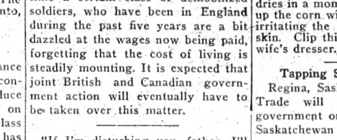

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# The Jarrow Page

This page is devoted to the interests of Jarrow and District

## JARROW

J. P. Molds is thinking of buying land here again and building.

Threshing will be in full swing in this district this week.

Miss Marshall has accepted a position as teacher for the present term in the Batt school district.

The Jarrow school is open again after summer holidays with Mrs. Manners in charge.

C. Pfeifer is away north of Edmonton putting up hay for his stock.

August Weinrich is boring wells south of town and is now at Harry Haugans place.

A large amount of cream is going to Edmonton from Jarrow the last few months. The frost of 1918 has weaned a lot of calves.

Mr. Mat Larson reports that his young son will recover from his recent accident but will be in the hospital for some time.

Services are held in Jarrow, Batt school and Melbra school regularly by the Rev. Mr. Allen. Mr. Allen is just home from France after a long service there.

Fruit season is on and it will pay you to watch the ads on this page. The merchants pay for space in order to keep you posted on these things.

Spend Thanksgiving evening at Jarrow. Dinner under church auspices served from 6 to 8 p.m. Musical program etc, Look for further notice.

R. H. Phiilipe, M. M. Holt and Mrs. Printup have disposed of a large number of stock recently. A good proportion of this stuff was of the best beef types and brought the top prices. It does not pay to feed the poor ones these days.

The rain Friday last put a stop to harvesting and haying but we will need it for the next crop. This was positively the best rain for two years, and reminded us of old times. The ground was getting very dry again and this will put the ground in good shape to absorb the snow water.

The shareholders in the local U. G. G. elevator have petitioned the Calgary office to open the elevator here. There is no reason why they should not have their elevator open every secoond year anyway. Last year we had to go to other towns when we wanted a few bushels of grain and wanted seed and this year it looks as if we are going to get the same deal. We believe that other towns get their elevators open just because they kick for it. There is much more grain in this district than in some other places which have a regular service. Let us get busy and maybe it is not too late yet.

WANTED—young lady, for general store. J. D. Manners, Jarrow.

### Jarrow Church Services.

Next Sunday the 21st Rally Day is being observed in the Jarrow Sunday school. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and join in the rally.

## VIKING

The streets and avenues in town are being graded this week by the Howser grading outfit, which consists of one big Holt caterpillar engine and two reclamation ditchers. First avenue from east to west connecting with the east and west township lines, second avenue, third avenue, fourth avenue, fifth avenue to Main St., Alberta street, Queen street, and King street are all being graded. The township line running north on the west from the railway crossing and the road running east of town along the railroad track has been opened up. It is giving our town a decided improved appearance.

A. C. Wittman has sold his hardware business to the McAfee Hardware Co. of Holden. Mr. Graham, formerly traveller for the Marshall Wells hardware, Edmonton, will take charge of the business and will move his family here to reside in the H. B. Collier residence, about October 1st. Mr. Wittman has not decided what he will do in the future but we understand he will remain in town.

Robt. Desilets [illegible] here from Edmonton Monday [illegible] on and will be employed in the McLaughlin garage. In the fall of 1918 he [illegible] with a construction corps for Siberia and saw service in that country until last June. He also had a visit to China and Japan before returning home. He was sent to Quebec for discharge after which he came west.

P. A. Main, a veteran of the war, who has purchased the Ed Stowe quarter section just northwest of town, will operate a dairy farm and deliver milk and cream to customers in town, commencing about Sept. 20th. Note his advertisement in this week's issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dodds and daugther Miss Mildred returned home Wednesday evening last from a month's visit at various points in Ontario. Mr. Dodd's mother, of Ingersoll, Ont., accompanied them west and will make an extended visit here.

The Community church was filled to capacity last Sunday evening to hear Capt. K C. McLeod, late chaplain of the famous 202nd battalion. His sermon was an inspiration to all who were fortunate enough to hear it.

Gordon Thompson was badly shook up and injured in a runaway accident on the Kelcey farm last week. He was driving a team that became frightened and in the fracas he was thrown on the ground and had his hip injured.

Manager Slavik takes the baseball team to Holden tomorrow where they play in a tournament in connection with the fall fair. $200 in prizes have been put up.

L. Scott and M. Hoskins played ball at Vegreville last week with the Mannville team for the Brewery Cup. Mannville won the first game and Vegreville the next two, thus the old mug remains with Vegreville.

The little nine months old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Knutson died on Monday, September 8th. The funeral took place on Tuesday at the Bethany cemetery, eight miles north of Sedgewick, Rev. H. Egedahl officiating.

At a meeting of the rink supporters last Thursday evening it was decided to accept the site offered offered by the Collier Bros., just south of the Catholic church property.

School opened on September 2nd with an attendance of 90 pupils and several have entered since then bringing the total near 100.

Mr. Kennedy, representing the Security elevator, was in town last week and gave Jas. C. Hennessy the keys to the house.


We wish to annouce to our many customers that we have placed in all our yards a stock of the well known

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free lunch at 12.30, Sale commences 1 o'clock

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One Gelding, 6 yrs old,
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Eight Good Milk Cows, as follows:
Two 3 yr old Three 4 yr old
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Grubhoes, Barrel
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Set Single Harness, 3 Collars
Bridles, Halters, Cow Chains,
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One Saddle and Bridle.

### Household Goods
Kitchen Range, Heater, 2 Tables
Bedstead, Spring and Mattress,
Morris Chair, Rocking Chair, Desk,
Two Kitchen Cupboards, Wringer
Sewing Machine, Kitchen Chairs
Bookcasi, Milk Pails, Cream Cans
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Glass Dishes, Pots and Pans.

**Frank R. Bishop, owner,** 8 miles northeast of Jarrow and one mile and one half east of the Batts school house.


### Calgary and Baseball.

The baseball games for the Alberta amateur championship came to a sorry and somewhat disgraceful end at Edmonton last Saturday when Calgary quit cold in the first inning of the fourth game when they disputed a decision of Umpire Garrison on a play at first base when he called a Calgary player out. Calgary had won two games from Edmonton 10 to 4 and 8 to 4 earlier in the week. Calgary lost the first game at Edmonton on Saturday 3 to 4, then they walked off the field in the first inning of the fourth game and refused to play. There is something wrong in the management of amateur sport in this province if a team can deliberately quit cold because an umpire's decision doesn't suit them, and leave 4000 loyal fans who had paid their money to see a contest, sitting in the bleachers all dressed up and nowhere to go but home. Talk about tank town stuff. this stunt pulled off by the Cow Town players knocks 'em all cuckoo.

**Sunday Services.**

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| Melbrae | 11 a. m. |
| Metropolitan | 3.30 p. m. |
| Jarrow | 7.30 p. m. |

Snnday Sept 21st

Walter Allen

For Sale—2 stacks of hay, one upland, one slough. Apply S. Francis, SF¼ 32,46,10. Jarrow. 1tp

Far Sight and Near Sight Glasses

in one pair of glasses
These glasses especially adapted to middle aged people are known the country over as Bifocal. The very latest are in demand. They are called Kryptoks.

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## DOMINION LANDS

**Increase in Rate of Interest**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of an Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act, passed at the last Session of Parliament, and commencing from the 7th July, 1919, where interest is chargeable, the rate of interest on all new transactions in connection with Dominion Lands shall be six per centum per annum; also that from the 1st of September, 1919, the rate on all overdue instalments in connection with both past and future transactions will be increased to seven per centum per annum.

By order,
L. PEREIRA,
Secretary.
Department of the Interior
Ottawa, August 26, 1919